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Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REPRESENTING FILE SYSTEM METADATA WITHIN A DATABASE FOR EFFICIENT QUERIES

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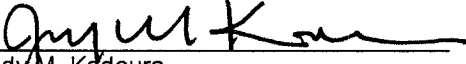
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the non-final Office Action dated February 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.